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**In re Application of:**

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**For: NUCLEIC ACID CONSTRUCT  
SYSTEM AND METHOD  
UTILIZING SAME USEFUL  
FOR IDENTIFYING PROTEIN-  
PROTEIN INTERACTIONS**

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## RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed April 19, 2005, which response is being made on or before July 19, 2005, for which no extension of time fee is due. Please amend the above-identified application as follows: